



MICHAEL W. DOBBINS

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
219 SOUTH DEARBORN STREET  
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60604

312-435-5698

August 12, 2008

Sarah Allison Thornton, Clerk of Court  
Massachusetts District Court  
United States Courthouse Suite 2300\\  
One Courthouse Way  
Boston, MA 02210-3002

Dear Clerk

**Re: MDL 1715 -- In re: " Ameriquest Mortgage Co. Mortgage Lending Practices Litigation "**

Your case number: 1 08-10488 Joseph G Curtis et al. vs Ameriquest Mortgage Co. et al.

**Our case number: 08 cv 4549 - Northern District of Illinois**

Dear Clerk:

Enclosed is a certified copy of the Conditional Transfer Order from the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation (MDL Panel) transferring the above-entitled action to the Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division, where it has been directly assigned Judge Marvin E. Aspen .

Upon entry of this letter and the MDL CTO, please electronically transmit your court file to the United States District Court, Northern District of Illinois. Your prompt attention to this matter is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Michael W. Dobbins  
Clerk

by: Willie A. Haynes  
Supervisor in Operations



Inasmuch as no objection is  
pending at this time, the  
stay is lifted.

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UNITED STATES JUDICIAL PANEL  
on  
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JUDICIAL PANEL ON  
MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION

FILED: AUGUST 11, 2008  
08CV4549  
JUDGE ASPEN

IN RE: AMERIQUEST MORTGAGE CO. MORTGAGE  
LENDING PRACTICES LITIGATION

MDL No. 1715

(SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE)

**CONDITIONAL TRANSFER ORDER (CTO-48)**

On December 13, 2005, the Panel transferred five civil actions to the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois for coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1407. *See* 408 F.Supp.2d 1354 (J.P.M.L. 2005). Since that time, 325 additional actions have been transferred to the Northern District of Illinois. With the consent of that court, all such actions have been assigned to the Honorable Marvin E. Aspen.

It appears that the actions on this conditional transfer order involve questions of fact that are common to the actions previously transferred to the Northern District of Illinois and assigned to Judge Aspen.

Pursuant to Rule 7.4 of the Rules of Procedure of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, 199 F.R.D. 425, 435-36 (2001), these actions are transferred under 28 U.S.C. § 1407 to the Northern District of Illinois for the reasons stated in the order of December 13, 2005, and, with the consent of that court, assigned to the Honorable Marvin E. Aspen.

This order does not become effective until it is filed in the Office of the Clerk of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois. The transmittal of this order to said Clerk shall be stayed 15 days from the entry thereof. If any party files a notice of opposition with the Clerk of the Panel within this 15-day period, the stay will be continued until further order of the Panel.

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

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ATTEST *Jeffery N. Lüthi*  
FOR THE JUDICIAL PANEL ON  
MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION

FOR THE PANEL:

*Jeffery N. Lüthi*  
Jeffery N. Lüthi

Clerk of the Panel

A TRUE COPY-ATTEST  
MICHAEL W. DOBBINS, CLERK

By s/ WILLIE A. HAYNES  
DEPUTY CLERK  
U.S. DISTRICT COURT, NORTHERN  
DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

DATE: AUGUST 12, 2008

**IN RE: AMERIQUEST MORTGAGE CO. MORTGAGE  
LENDING PRACTICES LITIGATION**

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**SCHEDULE CTO-48 - TAG-ALONG ACTIONS**

**DIST. DIV. C.A. #**

**CASE CAPTION**

**ALABAMA SOUTHERN**

ALS 1 08-360

Johnathon Dungan, et al. v. Ameriquest Mortgage Co., et al. - 08CV4547

ALS 1 08-405

Joseph Abruscato, et al. v. Ameriquest Mortgage Co., et al. - 08CV4548

**MASSACHUSETTS**

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Joseph G. Curtis, et al. v. Ameriquest Mortgage Co., et al.

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